

"Northwest Mounted Police" Beginning Wednesday at Saenger

Star Galaxy Shines in DeMille's 'Mounted'

Continues All Day Wednesday
That brightly burning star of genius which has guided Cecil B. DeMille to fame as a motion picture Producer-Director has nothing on the light used by the starring cast of DeMille's new picture for Paramount, "North West Mounted Police," which opens Wednesday at the Saenger Theatre. For Gary Cooper and Madeleine Carroll are starred, and the starring players seen include Paulette Goddard, Preston Foster, Robert Preston, Akim Tamiroff, Lynne Overman, George Bancroft, Lon Chaney, Jr., and Walter Hampden!

RIALTO Now
JEAN HERSHOLT
"Dr. Christian Meets a Woman"
— and —
Alice Faye Don Ameche
"Lillian Russell"

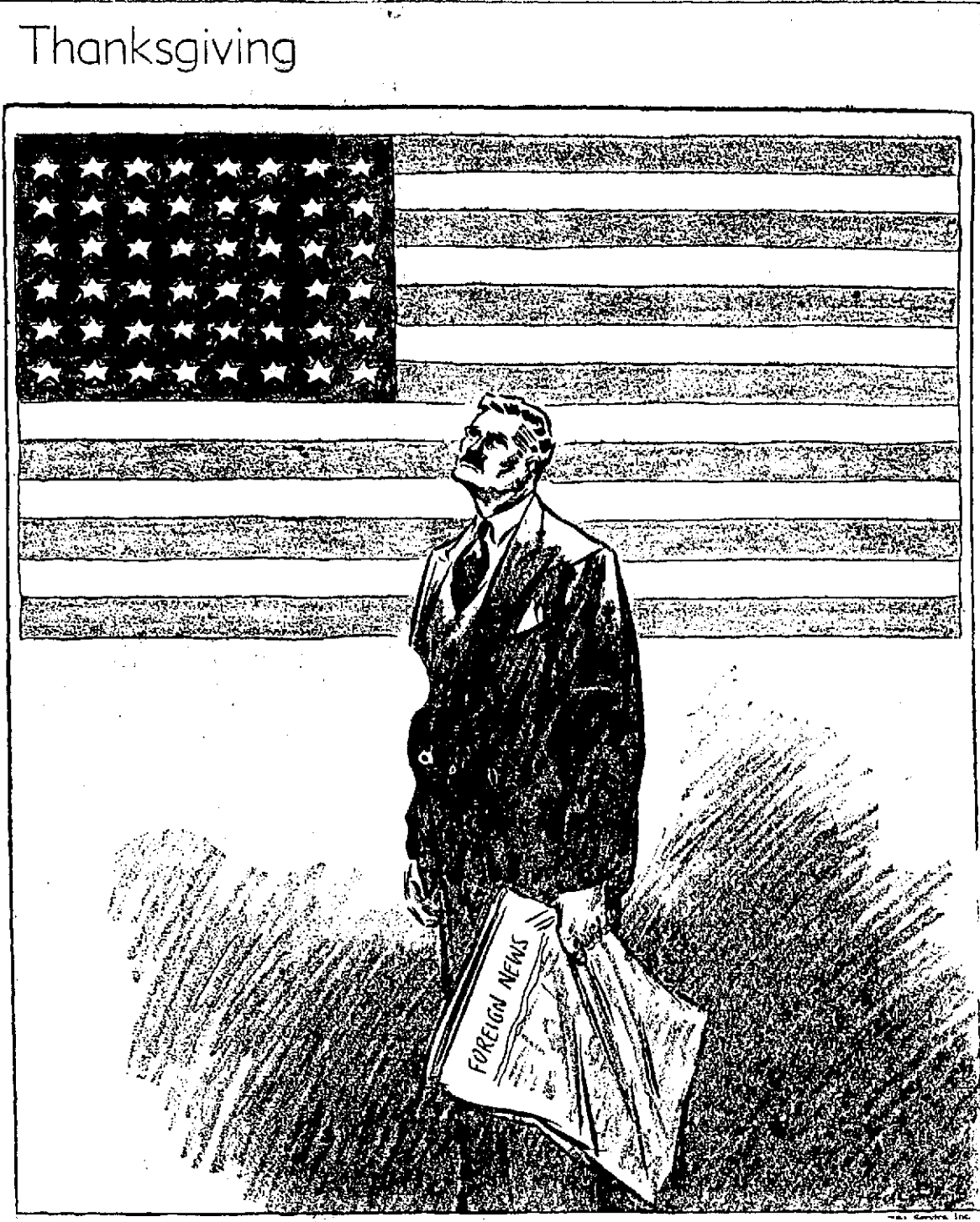
SAENGER Now
Mickey Rooney
Judy Garland
"STRIKE UP THE BAND"

An unsurpassed list, it is the biggest cast DeMille has ever offered, a cast suited to the epic proportions of this picture, and one competent to deal with its big story, the fact that this is the master's first all-Technicolor film and the other fast aspects of the production.
Before making it necessary for anybody to read a line about the story of this picture, it might be said that it contains enough thrills for any five average pictures, just as its cast has enough stars for any five every-day films. More than that, the picture has two love stories, one a triangular affair with beautiful Miss Carroll as the lady and the other a romance or whatever one might call it between a tempestuous Indian girl who is about as wild as the North woods and a Mountie.
Metis' Boblitz
The action of the picture receives its initial impetus at Betoche, place where thousands of half-breed Metis are revolting under the leadership of Duroc (Tamiroff) and Corbeau (Bancroft). Sergeant Jim Brett (Foster), and Ronnie Rogers (Preston) of the mounted are told of the Metis demands. In the course of the excitement at Betoche becomes apparent that Brett is interested in Ronnie's sister, April (Goddard), who is the nurse at the settlement. However, she seems to think that he belongs too much to the Metis.
With the half-breeds threatening to revolt, and only fifty Mounties at Fort Carlton, Inspector Cabot (Montagu Love), sends Brett to the camp of the Crees, where he tries to dissuade their Chief from making war. Later he is joined by Dusty Rivers (Gary Cooper), a Texas Ranger who has appeared at the Fort, announcing that he's after Corbeau for murder. The betrayal of the Mounted, re-

and by Tod McDuff (Overman), red-headed Scottish constable. The upshot of the meeting finds the chief demanding that Corbeau bring him the coats of the mounted before three suns have set.
sulting in their ambush, by Ronnie because of his love for Louvette (Goddard), and the ultimate triumph of the gallant Mounted over the half-breeds, plus the capture of Corbeau and the winning of April, lead the picture on through thousands of thrills and moments of romance to a fitting conclusion.
Attempting to commend every member of the cast would be a futile task. Cooper and Miss Carroll are at their best, which happens to be good enough for anybody. And Miss Goddard really does a job of it as Louvette, the Indian girl who makes love with all the ferocity of a wildcat. She's enough to turn the head of a Mountie any day.

Draft Calls Will Be Few

No. 158 in Washington Has a Tough Time
By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON — The most embarrassing thing that has happened to a No. 158 that I know of happened right here in Washington—or at least just across the District line in one of the suburbs.
He is 23 years old. His family is prominent in the community and comparatively well off. He was something of a football hero and just about a perfect physical specimen. He always has been quite a favorite in the neighborhood.
When Secretary of War Stimson plucked 158 out of the selective service fish bowl and made him No. 1 selectee in his district and the lad announced that he was proud and ready to go immediately, the neighborhood went into an orgy of patriotism.
The young man was wine and dined. The American Legion post



Thanksgiving

gave a banquet in his honor. So did the D. A. R. made speeches at the high school and the nearby college he had attended.
He spoke solemnly from the pulpit of his church. His girl gave a romantic touch to the hysteria by announcing they were engaged to be married "immediately after Johnny comes back from training."
It went on for weeks.
Lost His Turn
Finally the lad made a visit to his local board to find out just how soon he would be called—and discovered that 52 selectees in his district had volunteered, had been classified and under the rules of selective service, had been given induction numbers ahead of his.
The chances are Johnny won't be called before next summer, if then—and no amount of pleading or pull can get him ahead of the boys over whom no fuss was made the boys who—enlisted and were found suitable for Class 1-A and immediate call.
Johnny's only chance of escaping the jibes of his pals while he waits around to be called is to enlist and get accepted—for three years service—in the regular Army. At least that's what the selective service officials tell me.

Baptists to Hold Fellowship Supper

A fellowship supper will be held in the Educational Building of First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at 6:45. This supper is being sponsored by the Sunday School Superintendent and Finance Committee of the church.
About 100 leaders of the church and its organizations are expected to attend. Dr. Julian Atwood, pastor of First Baptist church, Texarkana, Tex., has been engaged as the inspirational speaker.
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This enlistment of selectees by the hundreds of thousands has, by the way, borne out a prediction passed along in these columns many weeks ago, namely, that first year "calls" from the Army will get very few, if any, selectees who haven't enlisted, no matter what their order numbers are.
One draft official told me recently that he estimates more than 400,000 selectees (or men desiring to get into the regular armed forces) had enlisted or applied to their local boards for immediate induction since selective service became a certainty. And that he believes present trends indicate this many more will be on the rolls by the time the Army is ready for them.
One of the principal reasons for enlistments by selectees, draft officials find, is that young men just out of college and not yet started on their professional careers are eager "to get it over with" before they take a turn at making their marks in the world.
Although no check has been made, it is thought that by far the greater number of selectees applying for immediate induction are young doctors, dentists, lawyers, engineers and tyros in other professions.
Another Rush Seen
Another rush of these young graduates to the colors is expected as soon as the colleges close their first term sessions in January. Practically an avalanche of enlistments is anticipated when the school year ends in June.
An interesting paradox which has put puzzled furrows in the heads of Army and draft officials is that although they have sought, by all means of publicity, to make Army life as attractive as possible, they have had to do everything in their power to prevent (until the Army can handle them) that rush to the colors that invariably comes with post-rivote hysteria.

Local Legion Wins Membership Contest

The local American Legion post won a new membership drive contest over the Prescott post and will be entertained by that club with a feed November 29 at Prescott.
Post Commander Terrell Cornelius asks that all local Legionnaires who plan to attend the feed at Prescott get in touch with him at once.

the newspapers that have influence, it is the news—the knowledge, the information, the accurate facts which they bring you.
Your newspaper equips you to have influence. It fits you to dictate the kind of government you prefer.
And there is another reason why your newspaper keeps you free.
A man can be enslaved politically, but he can also be enslaved economically.

Slavery... 1940 Model

By NORMAN CHANDLER
Chairman, Newspaper Publishers Committee

ONLY the weight of public opinion keeps you free in America. Think of that for a moment. If some Hitler or Stalin or Mussolini could only control your opinion, he could enslave you without any force. That is the way Hitler conquered Germany. He controlled the press.
He told people only his side. He told it over and over. Finally, because they had nothing else on which to base their opinions, they all came to agree with him.
Don't make the mistake of believing that he forced people to agree with him. True, his supporters put a handful of people in concentration camps. But the great mass of people were and are his supporters. They goose-step for him, give up necessities for him. They are dying for him by the tens of thousands.
You, in America, get all sides of all questions. You get the facts, plus the opinions of all leaders, delivered to you in your daily newspaper.
When you have the facts, you invariably support the right men, the right laws, the right ways of life.
This right of yours to have the facts is the key to freedom. Defend that right—not for the sake of any newspaper but for your own sake.

You have heard of "company stores" at a mine or on a plantation where, by charging high prices and offering only a limited supply of goods, the "company" kept its workers broke.
Look through the paper you are now reading. Notice the advertisements and the news about the things you need or want to buy.
The newspaper's advertising columns are open to the makers and sellers of every legitimate product. When a man builds a better electric iron or packs a better can of beans or makes a fortunate purchase of dry goods, he tells you about it.
Here, in these columns, you can compare values, learn of new things, new uses. You thus equip yourself to know when, where, and how to get the most for your money.

When a dictator wants to enslave a group of people, all he needs to do is take away its news sources. Shut off its newspapers and the news broadcasts which the papers largely supply to the radio stations. Then let him rake away the people's right and capacity to judge values, and the job is complete.
At the first faint whisper of an attack upon your right to have all the news of all kinds, good and bad, about people and events, about products and services, let me urge you to act. It isn't our freedom as publishers that I am worrying about. It is your freedom and mine, as citizens.

NOTE: The purpose of these regular Tuesday Institutional advertisements is to make American life and American business better. Your suggestions, criticisms or reactions will be appreciated by the Newspaper Publishers Committee and its chairman. Address the committee in care of the Business Office of this paper.

Much for Little
Eight tons of roses are required to extract for perfume manufacture one pound of the oil is valued at approximately \$175.

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Main Floor 50c
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MALCO Holiday FESTIVAL

NOVEMBER 21st TO DECEMBER 28th

Wednesday Schedule
Features at 2:30, 4:53, 7:04, 9:27

Thursday Thanksgiving
Features at 2:00, 4:32, 6:45, 9:17

SOCIETY

Daisy Dorothy Heard, Editor Telephone 768

Social Calendar

Tuesday, November 26th

The American Legion Auxiliary will sew for the Red Cross at the Singer Sewing Machine room Tuesday at 1 o'clock. All members are urged to be present at that time.

The Business and Professional Women's club, monthly social meeting, home of Miss Mary Arnold with Miss Norma Lewis as associate hostess, 7:30 o'clock.

Tuesday Contract Bridge club, home of Mrs. Merlin Coop, 2:30 o'clock.

Tuesday Contract Bridge club, home of Mrs. L. W. Young, 2:30 p. m.

COLDS

Relieve misery as 3 out of 4 mothers do. Rub throat, chest, back with VICKS VAPORUB

"Seven and One" club, home of Miss Daisy Dorothy Heard, 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday, November 27th
Mission Study class of the Women's Society of Christian Service, the church, 2:30 o'clock.

Kappy Neal Hooking club, meet at home of Mrs. W. R. Herndon for luncheon meeting, 9:30 a. m.

Announcement

Mrs. C. M. Agee wishes to announce that a new shipment of yarn for Red Cross knitting has arrived and is now available. All persons who have been knitting for the Red Cross, and those who wish to assist are asked to call Mrs. Agee (730) for supplies of yarn.

As is the custom the Oglesby P. T. A. members are selling chrysanthemums in the Hope high school colors for the Thanksgiving game. The flowers are to be on sale at the Capital hotel from 10 a. m. to 6:30 p. m., Wednesday.

Miss Singleton is Feted by Mrs. Brannan and Mrs. Alexander. Myriads of vari-colored cut flow-

ers were used to decorate the living room at the home of Mrs. A. D. Brannan, when Mrs. Brannan and Mrs. W. R. Alexander chose that time to honor Miss Martha Ann Singleton, whose marriage will be an event of Thursday, November 28.

The color scheme of pink and blue was used in the dining room, where the center of interest was the beauty table covered with an embroidered cloth and centered with a blue epergne containing glowing tapers and arrangements of pink button chrysanthemums and candy tuft. Covers were laid for Miss Martha Ann Singleton, Mrs. W. P. Singleton, Miss Bess Walker, Miss Annie Jean Walker, Mrs. W. R. Alexander, and Mrs. A. D. Brannan.

Girls Cullion Club to Be Organized in the City

On Monday evening the following met at the Barlow to organize a Girl Cullion club, Miss Martha Wadde, Miss Catherine Lane, Miss Josephine Morris, Miss Dorothy Son, Miss Elizabeth Stroud, Miss Mary Della Carrigan, Miss Nell Williams, Miss Ruth Atkins, and Miss Mary Lemley. It was decided that the purpose of the club will be to promote social functions for the members of the young social set in the city. Miss Mary Della Carrigan was elected the president of the group and Miss Catherine Lane will be the vice-president. The secretary-treasurer is Miss Martha Wadde.

Mission Study Class Meets at The Methodist Church on Monday
The Mission Study class of the Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the church

'Ghost Trails' British Bomber

Search Lights Throw Shadows Fool Nazi Gunners

By NEA Service
During a recent Royal Air Force raid on Berlin the pilot of one of the British heavy bombers found himself in a warm corner. He had just located his target, a power station, when his aircraft was picked up by one of the German "cones of light."

These are formed by a dozen or more search-lights whose beams, slanting toward one another, form a certain point. It was in one of these dazzling, glaring pools that the pilot found himself, and as he sought a way out, the enemy's anti-aircraft batteries opened an intense fire on him.

He attempted to escape into the clouds, the shells burst steadily closer. The searchlights held him inexorably. He decided to dive.

Down came the nose of the big bomber and it swept into a shallow dive. Twelve thousand feet—eleven—ten—nine—eight—the power station was rushing up to meet them, a beautifully placed target.

"Suddenly," said the pilot, "I glanced round and got the surprise of my life. There around me were four or five other aircraft, all of them apparently diving in formation with me. Keeping their distance, they accompanied me on all sides.

"For a few seconds I was amazed—then I realized what it was. The searchlights, still following me, were throwing hard black shadows of my own machine against the clouds on all sides of me, and it was my own shadow, many times repeated that was providing this escort of diving ghosts."

The dive ended; the bomb-aimer let go a stick of high explosives on the power station, and the aircraft, finally eluding the searchlights, headed safely for home.

Negroes Hold Home Ec Meet

Southwest Schools Represented at Arkadelphia

Home Economic students and instructors from negro schools in Southwest Arkansas counties attended the Third Annual Home Economics Conference in Arkadelphia at the Peake High School with Mrs. Maude Wiley hostess.

Each club represented with a club song and a short play or skit. Miss Thompson, District supervisor was guest speaker. Mrs. Peebles, Hineryant Teacher, Trainer from A. M. & N. College was present.

The following instructors were present:
M. Wiley—Arkadelphia.
Annie Mae Williams—Ashdown.
J. V. Washington—Hope.
Electa Campbell—Locksburg.
Z. Nelson—Magnolia.
C. Johnson—Nashville.
Z. Middleton—Rosston.
E. M. Watson—Stamps.
C. C. Haraway and F. Davis—Tollette.

Plans were made for the state meeting.

WE, THE WOMEN

Pity the Hubby Whose Wife Is "Triangle" Fiction Fan

By RUTH MILLETT
No man whose wife is jealous and suspicious of him would be in the least surprised that he is suspect if he would read a dozen magazine stories aimed at housewives.

If he will pick the stories at random, he'll find that the plot which is dished out to women over and over again is simply this:

A man and woman have been married happily for several years. The wife is a fine woman, in love with

The prayer hymn used, "Break Thou The Bread of Life."

Mrs. Koonce gave a beautiful and most helpful devotional. Mrs. Presley presented the study, "Shifting Populations in America." Mrs. Henry Hitt and Mrs. Buford Poe, findings committee, made extensive reports. This was followed by a discussion. An opinion test was used for further information.

The final meeting will be held at the church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

Personal Mention

Miss Betty Lanier of Brinkley will arrive Wednesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Miss Mildred McCance.

Miss Julia Lemley has returned to Fort Smith to resume her teaching duties at Fort Smith High school after a visit with relatives and friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Robins had as Sunday guests, Mr. Robins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robins of Ozan, Mr. John Barrow of Ozan, and John Barrow Jr., of Ouachita college, Arkadelphia.

Mrs. Clark White and Mrs. Hitt of Prescott will attend the meeting of the Tuesday Contract club at the home of L. W. Young on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spencer are Tuesday visitors to Little Rock.

Garrett Story Jr. of Los Angeles, Cal., has arrived to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Story and other relatives and friends.

her husband and he with her—until the story really gets under way. Then it is plain to be seen that the marriage is threatened by the husband's playing around.

Maybe it is a sophisticated career woman in his own office who has her eye on him. Maybe it is a good looking young divorcee moved to town to whom the wife has (unfortunately) been nice and invited to parties.

Maybe it is the man's first wife, bent on showing him that their divorce was a horrible mistake. Or perhaps it is the girl who jilted him just before his wife gladly took him on the rebound.

Fictional Wife Is Always Lucky
Anyhow, trouble looms in the form of another woman. The other woman doesn't get the husband in the end. But it isn't due to any honor of the husband that she doesn't. It is because the wife figures out a way to outsmart her—or luck plays into the wife's hands.

Just at the last paragraph the marriage is miraculously saved. But is that what Mrs. Housewife remembers when she puts down her magazine and thinks of her own marriage? No. She thinks about that poor wife—who just happened to find out in time that her husband was crazy about another woman. And—being feminine as well as human—her next thought is, "I wonder if George is putting anything over on me?"

Poor George—if he is, or if he isn't.

Saturday 'Classes' Slow Up Students

DALLAS, Tex. —(AP)—Violating a traffic law draws the penalty of school on Saturday for Dallas students.

Judge Joe M. Hill prescribes a Saturday morning safety lecture and a quiz on traffic laws. He recommends also that their parents "fine" them by deducting from allowances.

Dog-Gone Kind

PUEBLO, Colo. —(AP)—Mrs. Maude L. Rogers watched a snailish pushing what appeared to be three tiny puppies from the middle of the street where they were endangered by automobiles. Her husband went to help out and discovered the "puppies" were baby kittens apparently abandoned in the street.

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The Department of Public Utilities has investigated the Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company and is in process of issuing an order promulgating new and reduced rate schedule effective on November 1, 1940, and providing that certain amounts be refunded to domestic customers on payments made from gas bills rendered between January 1, 1938 and November 1, 1940 and to commercial consumers billed at the regular rate between January 1 and November 1, 1940.

The gas company has compiled lists of customers to whom refunds will be due and is filing statements of customer bills in each community where it maintains an office.

Notice is hereby given that lists of domestic and commercial consumers to whom refunds will be due are available for inspection in gas company offices serving the following communities: Conway, Morrilton, Atkins, Plumerville, Russellville, Dardanelle, Pottsville, Nashville, Ashdown, Mineral Springs, Okay City, Malvern, Donaldson, Perla, Gurdon, Bierne, Strong, Doddridge, Garland, Junction City, Benton, Haskell, Bryant, Bauxite, Arkadelphia, Gum Springs, Prescott, Emmet, Boughton, Waterloo, Magnolia, McNeil, Stephens, Waldo, Stamps, Lewisville, Buckner, Hope, Spring Hill, Washington, Fordyce, Bearden, and Fouke.

Payments of refunds will be computed according to such lists of customers unless a notice of protest or a properly executed assignment of the right to a refund is filed within ten days from the date of publication. Such protest notice or assignment shall be filed with the Gas Company for transmittal to the Department.

The gas company will, prior to the date on which such refunds will be available to the customers, deposit in banks conveniently located in the state with this department, as trustee, an amount in cash sufficient to make such refunds and the Department will make refunds to the customers entitled to them as shown by the company's records. A blank form of assignment or notice of protest may be secured at the office of the gas company and the company employees will assist the customers in the preparation of these forms. All protests, assignments, etc., shall be filed with the gas company.

A party filing a notice of protest will be given an opportunity to be heard by the Department as soon as possible after it is filed and the refund due the customer involved in the protest will be held up pending a determination of the ownership of the refund.

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**We Are Lucky —
Let's Be Thankful**
Americans are the luckiest people
in the world. If they were anything but devout-
ly and humbly thankful this Thanks-
giving Day, they would be the most
ungateful people in the world.
We are at peace—and thus we
have been granted the most precious
boon granted to any people in these
days.
We live in a plentiful continent
stuffed with all the good things of
material life.
We have freedom; we have hope.
Of all people in the world who
should give humble thanks for their
blessings, we should be foremost.
We are at peace—but that is no
great credit to our superior policies
or even our superior good-will. Other
countries have as earnestly sought
and worked for peace, have had as
great good-will, but peace was snatch-
ed from them.
We live amid plenty. That plenty
is not available to all is a matter
for our shame. But the opportunity
has been given us. Plenty is ours.
That we have not had the wit or
the will to distribute it that all
might share is certainly no fault but
our own.
We have freedom. Our forefathers
won it for us with blood and tears.
It comes to us today through no
special merit of our own. Whether
we shall keep it and extend it—that
will be the test of our merit. But it
is given us today without regard to
our effort or merit.
Surely a people so blessed can do
no less than to take a day of solemn
thought to consider how it may be-
come more nearly worthy of it.

**More than 300 years ago a tiny
band of Pilgrims on the Rocky New
England coast saw their struggling
crop wither in drought. They vision-
ed another "starving time," such as
they had looked upon before, when
loved ones weakened and died be-
fore their eyes for lack of a little
corn. Then came rain. The crop
was saved. And for this simple bounty
they declared a day of Thanksgiving.**
This is the day which we, who have
been a thousand times more favored,
are to observe once again. May we
render these thanks with something
of the humility and devotion that
moved the Pilgrims, kneeling amid
their ragged cornstalks at Plymouth.

**Answer to
Cranium Cracker**
Questions on Page One
1. Ad valorem—according to
value.
2. Flat justia, rath coelum—
let justice be done, though the
skies fall.
3. Au jour le jour—from hand
to mouth.
4. Bete noire—a bugbear, special
abomination.
5. Mens san in corpore sano—
a sound mind in a sound body.

BARBS
The careless people season is open
again when ducks, pheasants, rabbits,
etc., are supposed to be shot.
We're beginning to believe that you
can't keep a good ship down either.
The Bremen has been sunk how many
times now?
Maybe Harmon better add "switch"
or "ski" to his name if he wants to
make the All-American.
When they have nothing else to
worry about some folks worry about
24 hours a day, which gets them
nothing.
Joe Louis has signed up for an-
other championship bout. He was in
the corner of the last man who fought
the champ.
It's well to remember that if you
have a good past you can save it for
future reference.
Census Bureau reports 150,362,328
persons now living under the Ameri-
can flag. We've had no definite re-
port on how many are dying under
other flags.
Folks used to make their own cloth-
ing on spinning wheels. Now they
lose their shirts on 'em.
U. of Minnesota faculty ruled that
shoes must be worn at dances in new
Student Union building, but the school
will continue to help students get on
their feet.
Persons visiting the royal palace in
Japan need no longer wear top hats.
Says the emperor. Kids might just
as well pick up their snowballs and
go home.
Black widow spiders are so named
because the females willingly make
widows of themselves by eating their
husbands.

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place in Hope to buy coffee. 17-1mc

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Found
TWO MARE MULES, ABOUT 3
years old, on my farm. Each mule
has short chain on one foot. Ernest
Avery, Prescott Route Three. 23-3tp

Lost
IN VICINITY OF FAIR PARK.
Gold rim glasses. Call 10-F-2. 23-3tp
1940 SENIOR RING. FOR REWARD.
see Major Simpson or call 839. 25-3tp

Found
WIRE-HAIRED FOX TERRIER Fe-
male puppy, four months old. White
with large black spots on back,
brown and black face, hard coat,
dark brown eyes, and docked tail.
Answers to name of Jill. Call 10-F-2.
Reward. 23-3tp

For Sale or Trade
ONE 1938 G. E. WASHING MACH-
ine in excellent condition, will sell
or trade for anything. Donald Moore.
26-3tc

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under the sign of Jupiter, or "Jove"
was supposed to be merry and gay,
hence our word jovial.

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YOUR PIANO. ANY ONE IN NEED
of piano tuning and repairing call
W. A. J. Mills Music Shop, as I
have secured the services of C.
M. Sanders, tuner and technician
for Ouchita and Henderson State
Teachers Colleges of Arkadelphia,
who will be at my place the week
of November 25. Phone 36. 22-3tc

BOWLING
Monday, December 2
Bruner vs. Hempstead County Lum-
ber Co.
Tuesday, December 3
Standard Oil vs. Rotary.
Kraft Cheese vs. S. C. S.
Wednesday, December 4
Brookwood Grocery vs. M. System.
Geo. Robison vs. Kiwanis.
Thursday, December 5
American Legion vs. Life & Casualty
Co.
Ritchie Grocery vs. M. System.
Monday, December
Bruner vs. Kiwanis.
Geo. Robison vs. S. C. S.
Tuesday, December 10
Gunter vs. W. O. W.
Standard Oil vs. Life & Casualty
Co.
Wednesday, December 11
Kraft Cheese vs. Ritchie Grocery
Co.
Brookwood Grocery vs. Rotary.
Thursday, December 12
Hempstead County Lumber Co. vs.
M. System.
American Legion vs. Experiment
Station.
Monday, December 16
Bruner vs. Life & Casualty Co.
Gunter vs. Kiwanis.
Tuesday, December 17
Standard Oil vs. Brookwood Gro.
Wednesday, December 18
Hempstead County Lumber Co. vs.
Rotary.
American Legion vs. Ritchie Gro.
Thursday, December 19
Kraft Cheese vs. W. O. W.
Geo. Robison vs. Experiment Sta-
tion.
Monday, December 20
Bruner vs. Rotary.
Gunter vs. American Legion.
Tuesday, December 31
Standard Oil vs. Experiment Station.
Kraft Cheese vs. Geo. Robison.
Wednesday, January 1
Brookwood Gro. vs. S. C. S.
Hempstead County Lumber Co. vs.
W. O. W.
Thursday, January 2
Ritchie Gro. vs. M. System.

Kiwanis vs. Life & Casualty Co.
Monday, January 6
Bruner vs. M. System.
Gunter vs. Experiment Station.
Tuesday, January 7
Standard Oil vs. Ritchie Gro.
Kraft Cheese vs. Brookwood Gro.
Wednesday, January 8
Geo. Robison vs. Life & Casualty
Co.
Hempstead County Lumber Co. vs.
S. C. S.
Thursday, January 9
American Legion vs. W. O. W.
Kiwanis vs. Rotary.
Monday, January 13
Bruner vs. Experiment Station.

Gunter vs. Rotary.
Tuesday, January 14
Standard Oil Co. vs. Geo. Robison.
Kraft Cheese vs. M. System.
Wednesday, January 15
Brookwood Grocery vs. Ritchie
Grocery.
Hempstead County Lumber Co. vs.
Kiwanis.
Thursday, June 16
American Legion vs. S. C. S.
W. O. W. vs. Life & Casualty.

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with . . Major H.ople

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HE SPRAINED HIS
SHOULDER PUTTING
A TWO-CENT STAMP
ON AN ENVELOPE
FOR HIS WIFE!

YEAH HE GETS A \$10
ACCIDENT INSURANCE
CHECK EVERY WEEK,
AND HE WON'T BE
OUTA TH' SLING
TILL SPRING!

MY WORD! HOW
UNFORTUNATE!

EGAD! I WONDER IF
MARTHA HAS ALLOWED
MY POLICY TO LAPSE!
HM! I SHALL CALL
MY BROKER AT ONCE
\$10 A WEEK
THAT'S
WORTH

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WES MEETS A RIVAL
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disputed ability in the church
choir.
Still, why not?
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DUDE COLLEGE
BY OREN ARNOLD
YESTERDAY, Ronica deter-
mined to jar Dr. York out of his
shell. She takes him flying, or-
ders him to leave off his glasses,
decides to call him "Dude," and
elaborates all by asking him to
take her to the dance Saturday
night. The professor readily
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Varsity Pharmacy and went at
once to the drugstore phone booth.
The Rocking R ranch answered
but somebody with a Mexican dia-
lect informed him that Miss Ron-
ica was not at home.
Andre couldn't understand well,
somewhat out of patience he asked
for anybody who spoke English.
That brought Thomas U. Bailey
himself to the telephone. Andre
was, in truth, pleased to have this
chance at speaking with Ronica's
dad.
"So good to talk with you
again, Mr. Bailey," he spoke
heartily. "This is Andre Girar-
deau."
"Oh! Oh yes, Andre. Sure, how
are you, son? Well, well, now
you've followed her out here! How
are you?"
"Fine, Mr. Bailey. I hope you
don't mind if I do drop in to see
Ronica."
"Oh no, No. Wouldn't do any
good if I did. Ronica sees any-
body she wants to see. Saw a lot
of you in New York, didn't we?
Heh-heh!" Mr. Bailey felt like
teasing a little. "When you coming
out to the ranch?"
"Well sir, I wanted to come Sat-
urday—that's tomorrow. There's a
dance tomorrow night. College
dance. I hoped maybe Ronica
would."
"Sure, sure, Andre! Come on!
Know Ronica'll be glad to see any-
body from back home. She's not
too much at home yet in this wild
country, I imagine. She'll be
tickled to go to the dance with
you, of course!"
Andre was definitely pleased.
He had wanted a date and he
had wanted to resume what he
hoped were cordial relations with
Ronica's dad; all this had come to
him at once. In fact, practically
everything had come his way since
he left the east. He felt very con-
fident. All he had to do was move
slowly, cautiously, build thorough-
ly and pretty soon his business as
well as his personal plans would
all materialize.
ON Saturday he was downtown
again, hoping to see either
Ronica or the Mexican girl named
Montoya. He wanted somehow to
arrange a logical meeting with the
girl using the crutch.
He had received instructions to
contact this person at once, and
he had already been in town al-
most a week. Still, he had been
told to move with discretion, too.
He knew it would never do to
rush in carelessly. The whole tale
of a nation—if one looked at it
that way—hung on his or her
under-cover activity here; but
more important, his personal
pleasure and fortune was at stake.
He didn't see either Ronica or

Boots and Her Buddies
BOOTS! ARE YOU
ABOUT DRESSED?
WELL, MAKE
IT SNAPPY!
BREAKFAST IS
READY AND Y'VE
KNOW "GOSH"
WON'T LET
ANYONE PASS
TILL YOU
COME DOWN!

ALLEY OOP
JOY REIGNS IN DR. (TIME-MACHINE) WORM'S
ESTABLISHMENT. IN CELEBRATION OF THE
"TIME-TRAVELERS' SAFE RETURN"
HE GAVE THE
MAGIC BELT TO
CLEOPATRA!
ALL'VE HOPED
AND LABORED
FOR WIPED OUT
IN AN INSTANT!
TWO THOUSAND YEARS
PUT BETWEEN ME AND
A FABULOUS FORTUNE
IN JEWELS!
BUT OUTSIDE
DEEP IN THE
SHADOWS,
SITS
DEJECTED
FIGURE
JUST TO AVOID
CONFUSION,
THIS GUY IS
THE HERO OF
THIS YARN

WASH TUBBS
GET HIM SOME WATER— I'M GOING
TO TRAIL THAT BIRD
FORGERY!
LIES!
I NEVER SIGNED ANY SUCH
LETTER AGREEING TO
TURN OVER PLANS OF
MILITARY PLANS TO A
FOREIGN GOVERNMENT!
NO! NO! NEVER! AND MISS
ZAVISH... GREAT SCOTT!
WHY, SHE WOULD NEVER
HAVE STOOD TO BACK-
MAIL! IT'S IMPOSSIBLE!
RIDICULOUS!!
AFTER THE STRANGER LEAVES, TX. DRINKWATER, PRESIDENT
OF DRINKLERS AIRCRAFT IS IN A NEAR STATE OF COLLAPSE

RED RYDER
WELL, I GOT YOU THIS
FAR— BUT FROM NOW ON,
YOU'RE STRICTLY ON YOUR OWN!
THANKS,
FRECK!
I GUESS I
MISJUDGED
YOU, LARDIE—
AFTER ALL
YOU DID VOTE
FOR ME,
DIDN'T
YOU!
I EVEN
TRIED
TO VOTE
TWICE!
EVEN THOUGH
I WAS FRECK'S
MANAGER. I
REALLY DID
WANT YOU
ELECTED!
I'D KISS
YOU FOR
IT, LARDIE.
BUT YOU
MIGHT TELL
SOMEBODY!

Sounds Like a Big Job
LISTEN, LITTLE BEAVER!
IT'S FROM MY AUNT,
TH' DUCHESS!
Mebbe she say
she sakes-um die if
we come home,
me' betchum!
NOPE! LOOKS LIKE
WE'RE GONNA GUIDE
SOME EASTERN
CITY OF GOLD!

Just Dreaming
GOOD MORNING,
FAR! SLEEP
WELL?
OH, GURE
SWELL! ONLY
GEE, CORA—I
HAVE THE
WILDEST
FEELING...

They Can't Stop Boom
BUT I WON'T GIVE UP!
I'VE NEVER BEEN LICKED,
AND SO HELP ME HANNAH,
I NEVER WILL BE! I'LL GET
THAT BELT OR MY NAME
ISN'T OSCAR BOOM!
HOW I'LL GET IT I DON'T KNOW...
BUT ALWAYS I'VE DONE THE
IMPOSSIBLE... THE NITRO-
BOMB FOR EXAMPLE... THAT
COULDN'T BE DONE EITHER
BUT I DID IT!

By Roy Crane
I'M CONVINCED OF ONE THING, MR. DRINKWATER, EITHER YOU'RE THE INNOCENT VICTIM
OF A DIABOLICAL SCHEME TO RETARD THIS COUNTRY'S RE-ARMAMENT PROGRAM,
OR YOU'RE THE MOST DESPICABLE TRAITOR SINCE
BENEDICT ARNOLD

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Thanksgiving Time Is Eating Time for America

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Service Staff Writer

For the past 10 years our American turkeys have been getting bigger and bigger. State agricultural colleges, the Department of Agriculture and turkey breeders have co-operated to produce a bigger-boned, smaller-boned and richer-meat bird.

This year's big turkeys, ranging from 12 to 16 pounds, are the best buy. The smaller sizes, 8 to 12 pounds, will be harder to get and will cost

more. Invest in a large turkey, even though your family is not large. Well-refrigerated, cooked turkey keeps well and you can use it all in delicious specialties. The flavor and tenderness of a large young turkey is equal to that of a small hen turkey and the difference in price per pound will surprise your food budget. Large turkeys grow faster and are easier to raise than hen turkeys, therefore they can be sold on the market at lower prices.

more about turkeys than you can ever learn. That's his business. Allow from 1 1/2 to 2 pounds of dressed turkey per person. That means a turkey without feathers, but with head, feet and "innerds."

Cranberry, Mince Are Two Favorite Thanksgiving Pies

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX
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Pumpkin is first choice for Thanksgiving pie, but cranberries and mince are runner-up pie flavors, and many Americans like to serve two festive pies on Thanksgiving.

Both pies given below are quick and accident proof and therefore appeal to the younger cook and to families living in small quarters.

Apricot Mince Pie
(Serves Eight)

One package dry mince meat, 1 1/2 cups apricot juice and water, 3 tablespoons sugar, 2 cups freshly cooked or canned apricots, drained; pie crust.

Break mince meat into pieces. Add apricot juice and sugar. Place over heat and stir until all lumps are thoroughly broken up. Bring to a brisk boil and continue boiling for one minute. Allow to cool. Line a 9-inch pie plate with pastry and fill with mince meat mixture. Place drained apricots evenly over top. (A 1-pound 14 ounce can furnishes 2 cups of fruit.) Press upper crust on filled lower one and press edges firmly together. Trim off surplus pastry and bake in a hot oven (400 degrees F.) about 35 minutes.

Cranberry Crisscross Pie
(Serves Eight)

One and three-quarter cups sugar, 2-4 cup water, 4 cups cranberries, 4 tablespoons quick tapioca, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 recipe pie crust, 2 egg whites, 1 tablespoon sugar.

Boil sugar and water for 5 minutes. Add cranberries and butter without stirring until skins break (about 5 minutes). Cool. Add tapioca, salt, and butter and let stand for 15 minutes. Line a 9-inch pie plate with about 1/2 of pastry, rolled 1-8 inch thick, allowing pastry to extend 1 inch beyond edge. Fold edge back to form standing rim. Fill with cranberry mixture. Moisten edge of pie with cold water and arrange lattice of pastry strips across top. Flute rim with fingers. Bake in a hot oven (450 degrees F.) for 15 minutes, then decrease heat to moderate (350 degrees F.) and bake 25 minutes longer.

Thanksgiving SPECIALS

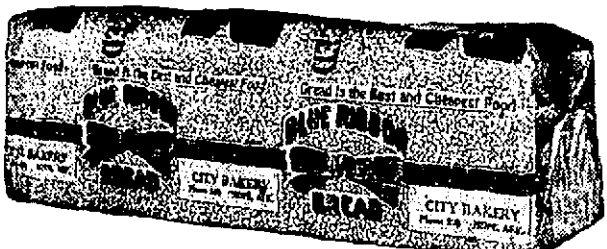
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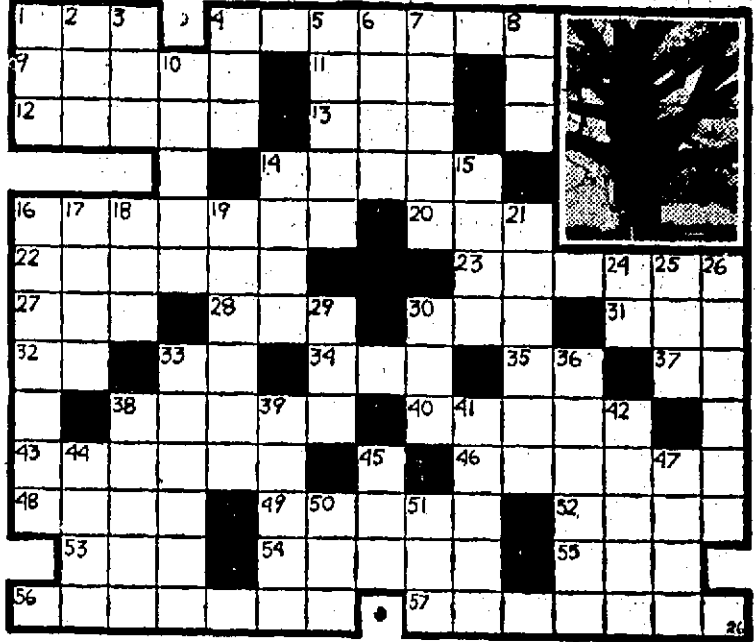
- 1 Pictured timber tree.
- 4 It belongs to the genus.
- 9 Good-by.
- 11 Duet.
- 12 Kind of bean.
- 13 Cotton picker.
- 14 Sand dunes.
- 16 Violent dreads.
- 20 To weep.
- 22 Awn.
- 23 Redress.
- 27 Frost bite.
- 28 Little devil.
- 30 Simpleton.
- 31 Peasant.
- 32 North America (abbr.).
- 33 To prosper.
- 34 To perform.
- 36 Mulberry tree (abbr.).
- 37 Railroad.
- 38 Waistcoats.
- 40 Leers.
- 43 Tidier.
- 46 Church.

Answer to Previous Puzzle



VERTICAL

- 1 Grain.
- 2 Fuss.
- 3 Relatives.
- 4 In so far as.
- 5 Rims.
- 6 Destruction.
- 7 Pine fruits.
- 8 Heaven.
- 10 Water cress plants.
- 14 Minute quantity.
- 15 Rail (bird).
- 16 Its fruit is used in leather.
- 17 Assam silkworm.
- 18 Laceration.
- 19 Indolent.
- 21 To happen.
- 24 Neuter pronoun.
- 25 Spike of corn.
- 26 It is a valuable hardwood tree.
- 29 Right of precedence.
- 30 Indian.
- 33 A catch.
- 38 Rocky declivities.
- 38 Price.
- 39 To exchange.
- 41 Elder.
- 42 Sawlike organ.
- 44 Comfort.
- 45 To persevere.
- 47 Skin.
- 50 Kind of lettuce.
- 51 To putrefy.



Potato Crop Hits New High

Forecast Provides Greatest Abundance in History

By G. K. SPENCER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

If all crop forecasts come true, the year 1940 will be marked by the greatest abundance of potatoes in world history.

For the Germans this will mean not only a great supply of a food which they heavily consume even in peace times, but also an opportunity, through chemical processes, to make starches.

For Britain the record crop will mean a big saving in importation of food.

For Uncle Sam the crop means some quick adjustments will have to be made to obtain fullest economic advantage of the great spud year. The usual export market is largely cut off by the war and America finds itself with a crop of about 393,031,000 bushels, according to the November estimate of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This compares with 364,016,000 for 1939 and 366,949,000 for the 1929-1938 average.

The U. S. Surplus Marketing Administration has already taken advantage of this surplus by not only buying potatoes for direct relief distribution to the needy, but also by listing potatoes as one of the surplus crops which can be purchased under the food stamp plan.

Government Battles Surplus
A great many potatoes probably will be absorbed in the making of vegetable starches, some of which America formerly largely imported. The newly organized system of regional research laboratories has included potatoes on its study list. Two of the four research laboratories of the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Chemistry and Engineering are giving attention to the industrial utilization of white potatoes. They are Western Regional Research Laboratory under Dr. T. L. Swenson in Albany, Calif., and the Eastern Regional Research Laboratory under Dr. P. A. Wells in Philadelphia. The Southern Research Laboratory in New Orleans is investigating possible industrial utilization of the sweet potato.

A program of the U. S. Surplus Marketing Administration for diverting supplies of potatoes into starch and dehydrating is now in operation in a number of states. Under this program, the rate of federal payment will be 14 1/2 cents per 60-pound bushels for Irish potatoes of U. S. No. 8 grade. This means that most Americans will be eating U. S. No. 1 grade. There are at present 26 starch factories in Maine, one in Idaho, Minn., and a new one in Klamath Falls, Ore. There is also one at Glendale, Calif., not now operating.

Of the estimated 1940 crop of 393,031,000 bushels Maine alone will produce 45,135,000 bushels, an increase over 1939 of 6,855,000 bushels. Under the present program of the Surplus Marketing Administration, the potato farmers can store their high quality potatoes to be sold at good prices, while taking smaller cash payments for the low grades delivered to starch factories. They thus save charges for storage, regrading and insurance, and losses through shrinkage.

using potatoes for food mainly and making alcohol almost entirely from wood in America there is one plant, at Idaho Falls, Idaho, actively producing alcohol from potatoes.

Further research may develop more chemical uses for potatoes—already the world's number one crop in tonnage.

That potatoes will continue to be one of the most important crops of the United States is evidenced by the fact that California has recently joined the ranks of big commercial potato-producing states.

Ranking them in order, the chief U. S. producers now are: Arrostook County, Mo.; Southern Idaho, Red River Valley, Minn.; Long Island, N. Y.; and Kern County, Calif.

Open Door Policy Clicks For Hunters

MISSOULA, Mont. (AP)—Hunters sat down to dinner in a school near Butte recently only to be brought to their feet by gunshots nearby. Spying two comrades in an adjacent field, they resumed their meal.

Then an uninvited guest, a startled coyote, plunged into their midst, the two men in pursuit. A dead, used as a club, finished up the job.

Big City Blues Gets Evacuees

Londoners Miss Noisy Industrial Centers

By PAUL MANNING
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

STOKE POGES, England—The evacuation of women and children from the crowded industrial centers of England may be the greatest social upheaval since the industrial revolution, but you can't get the evacuees to believe it.

To them the prospect of long winter months spent in the country where water is drawn from open wells and meals are still cooked over charcoal in greystone cottages is not too inviting. When they first arrived in country billets they were excited and happy at the thought of a complete change. But rain and winter nights have changed all that.

Miss Movies
In Stoke Poges, and the thousands of other little English country towns, it's the boredom which is hard to take. In fact every move in this little village seems to have the Big City Blues. They miss their husbands, the motion pictures, the evening dart game at the corner pub. As one housewife put it:

"I like the food, I like the people, I'm beginning to like the country. But what wouldn't I give for a night at the pictures now and then." But there are compensations. Like discovering for the first time there is more to England than the city. This little town, for example, is a one-hour drive from the heart of London. It is as famous as Shakespeare's Stratford-on-Avon and ever since Thomas Gray wrote "Elegy in a Country Churchyard" under the yew tree of the Stoke Poges parish church, the place has been a mecca for millions. Yet none of the evacuees now billeted here ever paid it a visit.

Boom for Church
Now at most any hour on any day the quiet lanes which surround the church are likely to be crowded with London mothers pushing perambulators.

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C. C. Mince Meat 2-8 oz pkg 15c

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No Extension for License

December 31 Is Auto Tag Deadline Set By Bailey

Local revenue officials are urging all Hempstead county motorists to register their cars as soon as possible to avoid a last minute rush which is certain to cause many car owners to wait in line because they delay registration of their cars until the last few days of the period. The license paying period will expire on December 31, and the governor has announced that there will be no extension of the time.

I. L. Pilkinton, revenue inspector assigned to Hempstead county, has

announced a county-wide schedule which he has worked out in an effort to accommodate motorists who live outside of Hope. His plan will enable motorists living in the outlying communities to register their cars in their home town if they take advantage of the schedule. Mr. Pilkinton said that he would spend on afternoon in each community, center of the county between December 2 and 12 in order to give automobile owners in each town an opportunity to register their cars for 1941 before the last minute rush at Hope.

Mr. Pilkinton's schedule is as follows:

- Ozark—Monday afternoon, December 2.
- Fulton—Tuesday afternoon, December 3.
- Blevins—Wednesday afternoon, December 4.
- Patmos—Thursday afternoon, December 5.
- Washington—Saturday afternoon, December 7.
- Columbus—Monday afternoon, December 9.
- Springhill—Tuesday afternoon, December 10.
- McCaskey—Wednesday afternoon, December 11.
- Saratoga—Thursday afternoon, December 12.

December 12. This is the first time in many years that operators living outside of Hope have had an opportunity to register their cars for the new year right in their own home town. The local revenue office hopes that motorists living out in the county will take advantage of this schedule which was worked out for their convenience.

Mr. Pilkinton said that he would be in each town only on the afternoon of the day indicated and that all car owners who failed to purchase their 1941 tags while he was in their town would have to meet him at another point or come in to the revenue office here in Hope sometime prior to December 31 to register their automobiles. Be sure and bring 1940 registration cards when you buy your tags.

City Court

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plea of guilty and fined \$10.

Porter Reed, disturbing the peace, dismissed on motion of city attorney, State Docket.

Jack Sharp, disposing of property on which a landlord's lien existed, dismissed on motion of prosecuting attorney.

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R. C. Mackreay, assault and battery, plea of guilty, fined \$10.

Willie Washington, grand larceny, examination waived. Held to grand jury; bond fixed at \$250.

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Civil Docket

Vincent W. Foster vs. Ed Stuart, action on a note for \$20. Judgment for plaintiff by default for \$20 and interest.

State's First Mined Mineral

One of the first minerals mined in the state of North Carolina was mica, as is shown by tons of debris on the sites of ancient dumps which testify to the extensive operations by Indians.

Army Learns More About Beans



In preparation for a year of active army service, cooks and prospective cooks of the 147th Infantry, Ohio National Guard, attended a series of cooking classes conducted by Jean Allen, home economist for the Kroger Grocery and Baking Company, at the Kroger Food Foundation in Cincinnati, Ohio. In addition to demonstrating some new angles on preparation of the famous army bean, Miss Allen explained how to plan well balanced meals and provided a series of menus, complete with shopping lists, for groups of 50, 100, and 500 men. For several years the Food Foundation has offered a similar menu service to large lodge and church groups. Shown with Miss Allen, left to right, are Private Claude Washam, Major E. F. Heilman and Private William Frederick.

Harrison in Hollywood

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Correspondent

Love and Lupe Velez Have Tamed Down Big Boy Williams; Even Goes to Opera



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HOLLYWOOD — Lover has wrought some amazing changes in the life of Big Boy Williams. His old haunts and henchmen see little of him these days. The luncheon crowd in the Universal cafe sits open-mouthed and silent, almost agast, to hear the sentimental effusions which the huge actor pours into the telephone when Lupe Velez calls him during the noon hour.

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Labor Defense Board to Meet

Conference Is Called by Roosevelt Tuesday

WASHINGTON —(AP)— President Roosevelt announced that defense advisors would meet Tuesday for conferences on strikes in national defense factories.

Invited to the afternoon meeting were Secretary Stimson, Secretary Knox, Attorney General Jackson and Sidney Hillman, labor member of the defense commission.

Stephen Early, press secretary, said the men were called to "discuss labor in relation to national defense, including difficulties of strikes and so forth."

Tommy Harmon Voted No. 1 Football Star

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— Tommy Harmon, Michigan's great halfback, was chosen by the Maxwell Memorial club Monday as the nation's No. 1 football player for 1940.

He will receive the award at the club's annual dinner here on December 17.

Nile Kinnick of Iowa received the award last year. Davey O'Brien of Texas Christian was honored in 1938 and Clint Frank of Yale in 1937.

Postoffice to Be Closed Thanksgiving

Postmaster Robert Wilson announced Tuesday that there would be no city service in Hope November 28, Thanksgiving. The mail will be distributed in boxes as on other days and the rural deliveries will be made as usual. All windows will be closed.

Hope to Play

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heart-breaking one-point, two-point and one-touchdown defenses.

Our Zebras ran into trouble not only in Georgia Military Academy Saturday afternoon but also in the elements. Mud and rain stopped a Pine Bluff passing attack that had proved vastly successful on the preceding week-ends—stopped it at the zero point. It kept Jack Budie and Charlie Clowers stuck in ankle deep mire and the larger Cadets came out on top, 7 to 0.

Captain Buck Forsythe had to leave in the first quarter with a badly bruised right hand. Big Melvin Jordan was carried off in the third period with a bad leg. Guards Puzzy Watts and David Piper were not in the best of shape when it began and the slime didn't help any. Hope has a terrible record but the Bobcats have been improving rapidly and these injuries failed to increase Pine Bluff's chances for another conference victory.

The Japs bought 19,000,000 dollars worth of American machine tools last year. Any monkey wrenches?

Job Swapping Banned in Norway

OSLO, Norway —(AP)— Norway has taken a leaf from Nazi labor practices and has decreed nobody may abandon his profession without permission of the new ministry of social welfare.

Farmers, foresters, and fishermen, for example, may under no circumstances give up their professions before the end of this year, and then only if the new profession to which they would like to turn is really in dearth of workers.

Chickens Pull a Fast One

WESTON, Tex. —(AP)— The stage seems to be set for an epidemic of an epidemic of indigestion among chicken snakes hereabouts.

One farmer found a snake attempting to eat a nest egg made of glass. Several of the same type were missing from other nests.

Founded Mormonism

Mormonism originated in New York State, Joseph Smith founded it as a result of his visions, and, because of faith in his convictions, he was put to death by a mob in 1844.

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Special Thanksgiving Program for Kiwanis

The Rev. J. E. Hamill will be principal speaker at a special Thanksgiving program at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Hope Kiwanis club, it was announced Tuesday. All Kiwanians are urged to attend.

Latin temperament, having married Lili Damita. He has been giving Williams a lot of advice, mostly negative.

Big Boy himself has a fierce temper, and he is afraid of nothing except his own tremendous strength. When he gets mad, especially after a few highballs, tears flow down the furrows of his face as if from fountains. When that happens, he always leaves so that he won't have a chance to commit mayhem.

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